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## A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

## HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

## THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

## CONGRESSIONAL.

A spirited debate took place in the senate on the 18th over Senator Quay's resolution declaring it to be the sense of the senate that there should be a vote on any of the amendments offered. In the house the post office appropriation bill, with statehood rider, was reported, and Senator Morgan spoke against the Panama canal bill. In the senate the conference report on the army appropriation bill was rejected because of its provisions for the retirement of civil war officers at an advanced grade. The remainder of the day was devoted to the naval appropriation bill.

In the senate on the 18th routine business occupied the time. The house bill, amending the pensions laws applying to remarried widows, was passed, and the rest of the day was devoted to an executive session debate on the Panama canal treaty. In the house the naval appropriation bill, providing for construction of three battleships, one cruiser, two training ships and a training brig was passed, with \$500,000 for a submarine boat added.

The entire day on the 20th was spent by the senate considering the Panama canal treaty. No vote was taken on any of the amendments offered. In the house the fortifications appropriations bill was passed, and the conference report on the bill for the protection of the president and on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was adopted.

## DOMESTIC.

Cole Younger confirms the report that he intends to run a "wild west" show.

George B. Cortelyou has taken the oath of office as secretary of the department of commerce and labor.

Booker T. Washington, in an address at Tuskegee, Ala., before the twelfth annual negro conference, urged race friendliness.

Justice Shiras of the United States supreme court has presented to the president his resignation, to take effect February 24.

The names of Brig. Gens. Breckinridge, Ludington and Wade have been sent to the senate for promotion to the grade of major general.

The Illinois supreme court has sustained the anti-trust law of 1891 and amendments of 1893. Corporations are held liable for fines in case of failure to make yearly report on affiliation with combines.

The opera house block and public library at Ashland, O., were destroyed by fire.

A bill to prohibit football in the Illinois state university and schools has been introduced in the legislature.

By a series of frauds carried on for years a band of Italians has swindled a dozen life insurance companies in New York out of more than \$1,000,000.

Three thousand Chicago apartment houses are threatened by the janitors' union with strike unless their demands for better pay are granted.

Reports from all over the country, east and west, show that record-breaking cold weather is being experienced.

The second battalion of the Fourteenth United States infantry, which has been stationed at Fort Wayne, near Detroit, has left for the Philippines.

Albert W. Wishard, of Indiana, solicitor of internal revenue, has resigned.

John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers' union, refused a \$4,000 offer from the Chautauqua alliance for a lecture series.

Pending disputes between the United States and Canada will probably be taken up soon by a high joint commission.

Millions of dollars in fines will be demanded of Illinois corporations under anti-trust laws declared constitutional by the state supreme court.

A fire at Marion, Ill., resulted in a loss estimated at \$200,000 to \$300,000. A trolley car at Newark, N. J., was run down by a train, and eight children were killed, several fatally injured and many less seriously hurt.

Three lives were lost and property valued at \$375,000 destroyed by a fire at Springfield, O.

The new Mexico legislature has passed a bill creating Quay county in honor of Senator Quay's fight for statehood.

The president announced the appointment of Judge W. R. Day, of Ohio, to succeed Supreme Court Justice Shiras.

Organized labor in Chicago welcomed John Mitchell, Clarence S. Darrow and Henry Lloyd at a meeting in the Auditorium.

The new battleship Maine left the League Island navy yard to join the North Atlantic squadron at Galveston, Tex.

Oliver Nichols, a lumberman, shot and killed Mrs. Ira Shaffer near Eddie, Pa., and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

Fourteen thousand acres of coal land near Honaker Station, Va., have been purchased by Chicago and Pittsburgh capitalists. Several million dollars will be spent for development and the construction of a railroad.

Former Secretary of State John W. Foster has been selected to take charge of the case of the United States in presentation of the Alaskan boundary question to the commission.

Both houses of the Wyoming legislature adopted a joint resolution strongly indorsing woman suffrage.

The anthracite coal strike commission began work on its report at Washington. The meetings are secret.

Smallpox is said to be more widely spread over the United States now than ever before and the disease is of the deadliest type ever known.

Horace White has retired from his position as chief editor of the New York Evening Post.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s review reported railroad freight congestion again serious because of heavy snowfall. February earnings were 17.6 per cent. greater than for 1901. Enormous orders for raw silk imports are given.

Fire and panic at night in the Clifton hotel at Cedar Rapids, Ia., resulted in the death of at least nine persons and injury to 42. Guests finding escape cut off, jumped from windows to the frozen ground or sank back into the flames.

After a deadlock which has lasted since the beginning of the term, republicans of the Oregon legislature united and elected C. W. Fulton United States senator. The decisive ballot was taken only a few minutes before the expiration of the legislature.

The Kansas house of representatives has recommended for passing a stringent law against lynching.

Both houses of the New Mexico legislature have passed the bills creating Roosevelt and Quay counties. Gov. Otero will sign the bills.

The president has signed the Elkins rebate bill. With the signing of this measure the administration's anti-trust programme for this session of congress is completed.

George Stone, who ten years ago murdered Robert Nelson, fled to England and was finally brought back by Chicago detectives, was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to 35 years in the penitentiary.

W. H. Van Gurt, an ordnance man, who was severely injured at Fort Lafayette Thursday, is dead, making the fifth death as the result of the accident.

Three children of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ransom, near Seio, O., were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home.

Attorney Edward Knight, of Lorimer, Ia., was shot and killed by a man named Wilson as a result of a quarrel.

John A. Nordgren was found guilty in Chicago of murdering his wife with poison and was given a 30 years' sentence.

Arthur Parr lost his life in an attempt to save his coat during a fire which caused \$30,000 loss in the factory of Sturges, Cornish & Burns, Chicago.

Six men have been arrested at New York charged with violating the lottery law, and are said to have victimized thousands of persons in the last two years.

Over 1,000 students have left Cornell university owing to the epidemic of typhoid fever in the city of Ithaca. Many students have died and hundreds are sick.

Mrs. James Garret and her 12-year-old daughter Patsy were indicted at Whitesburg, Ky., on charge of seducing to death Jason L. Craft for purposes of robbery.

A posse of citizens with bloodhounds is pursuing Gordon Raney, who is charged with murdering his wife near Queen City, Mo. Lynching is threatened in case of capture.

The frozen body of Frank N. Richardson, a banker of Wyoming, Ill., who disappeared Tuesday, was found near that place Saturday. It is thought he was insane and wandered away.

A final compromise offer on statehood bill has been reached by republican leaders. Oklahoma would be admitted as one state, Indian Territory added to it after three years and Arizona and New Mexico admitted at once as one state and divided later. Quay is willing.

Minister Bowen refused the demand of Germany for immediate payment of \$25,500, the request being contrary to the terms of the protocol for settlement of the Venezuelan trouble.

Booker T. Washington in an address at New York advocated a committee of northerners, southerners and negroes to settle race problem.

## PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Friends of Gov. Cummins, of Iowa, assert that he will be a candidate for the nomination to the vice presidency before the next national republican convention.

Mrs. Julia Duplice died at Chippewa Falls, Wis., aged 103 years.

Miss Ellen Smith, who, during the past 25 years has been in turn instructor, professor and registrar of the University of Nebraska, died at Lincoln, Neb.

Mr. Horace White has retired from his position as chief editor of the New York Evening Post.

Maj. Gen. Charles C. Doolittle is dead at his home. He made a record for bravery during the civil war, and rose to the rank of brigadier general, commanding a brigade at Nashville. At the close of the war he was regularly breveted major general.

## FOREIGN.

A German engineer at a meeting held in Spain is said to have pledged himself to kill Emperor William of Germany.

The supreme court of Venezuela has given a judgment for \$700,000 to heirs of Americans as damages for annulment of concession.

The Montreal express on the Grand Trunk road left the track near Whitby Junction, Ont., and a score of passengers were injured.

Pope Leo celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his election, and declared it the happiest day of his life. The scene in the great reception-room in St. Peter's church at Rome was very impressive. Many persons assembled. More than \$25,000 in gifts were presented.

The czar of Russia, talking to Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg, expressed the greatest friendship for the United States.

A total of 317 municipal ownership corporations is reported in England, with \$65,000,000 yearly income.

Venezuela has placed an additional duty of 30 per cent. upon all imports as a war measure.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the election of the pope was celebrated in Rome with high mass.

European powers have united in a joint note to the sultan on the subject of reforms in Turkey.

Great armies of unemployed are marching about England and the public is beginning to associate the lack of work with the growing unpopularity of the ministry.

A force of lancers under Gen. San Miguel captured three detachments of constabulary near Manila. Scouts are in pursuit.

One thousand of the poor of Rome were guests of the pope at a dinner in honor of the papal jubilee.

## LATER.

The annual report of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad shows a decrease in gross earnings of \$2,108,869, and in net earnings of a decrease of \$2,137,742, or 21.60 per cent., due to losses from the coal miners' strike last summer.

Former Archduke Leopold Ferdinand, brother of the former crown princess of Saxony, has telegraphed to his parents at Salzburg that he intends to become an officer in the United States navy.

Martin Gardner, 70 years of age, was struck and killed by a trolley car on the Buffalo & Hamburg line seven miles from Buffalo, N. Y. Gardner had a mania for walking on the car tracks and several times had narrowly escaped being struck.

While August Schultz and his wife were attending a dance at Brainerd, Minn., their house caught fire and two young children, who had been left in the care of an older daughter, were suffocated.

Burglars blew open the safe at the East Atchison Kan. postoffice with dynamite. The explosion set fire to the building, which, with two adjoining buildings and contents and all mail matter in the postoffice, were destroyed. No money was secured.

Fire at Meridian, Miss., totally destroyed the main building of the Mississippi female college and three dwelling houses. There were 200 girls in the building, all of whom escaped. Many lost all but their night clothing. The loss will be heavy.

The man supposed to be the sole survivor of the St. Pierre disaster was a passenger by the steamer Fontabelle, which arrived at New York City recently from the West Indies. He is Joseph Sibance, a negro, aged 27 years, a native of Martinique. He was a prisoner in the dungeon of St. Pierre when the ill-fated city was destroyed by the eruption of Mont Pelée.

Secretary Moody has ordered a court-martial to convene at the navy yard, Pensacola, Fla., on or about March 6, for the trial of Ensign Ward K. Wortman on the charge of neglect of duty growing out of the recent explosion in the eight-inch turret of the battleship Massachusetts, which resulted in the death of nine members of the gun crew.

On the 24th the house passed the Philippine currency bill and took up the contested election case of Wagner vs. Butler, but did not take any final action thereon. Mr. Tillman spoke for three hours in the senate on the race question in the south.

## MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

E. Lung, a wealthy Chinese merchant of Indianapolis, has been chosen as the head of Chinese masons in this country.

Plans have been made for the opening in Kansas City, Mo., of Liberal university to teach Robert G. Ingersoll's views.

President Roosevelt's "Strenuous Life" is being translated into the Armenian language for circulation in Armenia.

The International Typographical union will erect a monument at Colorado Springs to the late Amos J. Cummings.

New York money centralization is shown by \$109,651,900 capital of 53 banks, against \$60,422,700 of 64 banks ten years ago.

Ex-Senate Senator C. H. Smith, of Jackson, Mich., has wired to Washington his acceptance of the office of prosecuting attorney at Manila.

Col. R. H. Pratt has resigned as superintendent of the Carlisle (Pa.) Indian school. He has been in charge of the school for about 30 years.

The fish, forestry and game committee of Colorado has decided for a closed season for four years on deer and for six years on sheep, elk, antelope and other big game.

The committee of Presbyterian clergymen representing the synod and appointed to decide on the site for a Rocky mountain college has decided in favor of Denver.

Edwin Perkins Clark, who was for 18 years a member of the editorial staff of the New York Evening Post, died at his home in Brooklyn. He was born at Huntington, Mass., in 1847.

Lieut. Peary says that with necessary backing of \$150,000 to \$200,000 he will head another expedition for the arctic regions, and believes he can fly the American flag at the pole.

Minister of Commerce Moeller, of Germany, says that as America will be Germany's chief commercial competitor in the future, Germany must adopt trust measures to combat American trusts.

The Standard Oil company has declared a dividend of \$20 per share, payable March 16. This is ten dollars more than the last dividend declared, but is the same as the one declared at this time last year.

## BUCKEYE TOPICS.

## A Glance at Some Recent Doings in Ohio.

## Pleases Anti-Saloon League.

Columbus, Feb. 21.—Officials of the State Anti-Saloon league are delighted over the decision of the supreme court in the Sunday closing case from Collinwood, where a saloonist was arrested and fined over two years ago for violating the Sunday closing ordinance. He appealed the case and carried it through all the courts. The supreme court sustained the mayor and now the defendant is compelled to pay the fine and all the costs. This is not the end of his troubles, for about three weeks ago Collinwood voted dry, thus forcing him out of business. The league has been notified that New Carlisle, Clark county, has voted "dry" by a large majority. The town had four saloons and the contest was bitter.

## A Fierce Political Fight.

Columbus, Feb. 25.—The local republican political situation has reached an acute stage. The direct charge is now made by the managers of Frank E. Hayden's campaign for the mayoralty nomination that the republican executive committee have sold out badly and have turned over to the managers of Robert Jeffrey all their public documents, including polls of the city, list of challengers and other books used last November. The Hayden people are jubilant over the announcement of the support of Gov. Nash, while the Jeffrey contingent, with the backing of some large manufacturing concerns, claims an easy victory at the primaries.

## Woman on Trial for Murder.

Cleveland, Feb. 24.—Mary Wirukowski was put on trial for her life, Monday, before Judge Neff. She is the first woman in the memory of present practitioners at the bar to be tried in Cuyahoga county on a charge of murder in the first degree. Mary Wirukowski is charged with having been the accomplice of Charles Janowski in the killing of her husband, last fall, in a lonely ravine, in Newburg. Janowski has confessed, implicating the woman. He will be put on the stand by the state, and it is said he has promised to tell all he knows about the plot to put Wirukowski out of the way.

## A Convention of Teachers.

Cincinnati, Feb. 25.—The department of superintendents of the National Educational association met here Tuesday with representatives from all the states and cities, for a session of three days. In addition to the superintendents of instruction in cities, Dr. W. C. Harris, United States commissioner of education, many state school commissioners, college presidents and college professors are here. Over 1,000 delegates and visitors were present at the opening session.

## Fasted Eleven Days.

Akron, Feb. 21.—Miss Clara Hurd, a teacher of physical culture and professional massage, who has lately been treating a number of well known local society women, has just finished an 11-day fast, to prove to her patients and for her own satisfaction that her theory of the use of physical culture and exercise is correct. She holds that if the system is in perfect condition, a person can go without food of any kind for some time without feeling any inconvenience or losing any strength.

## Laid to Rest.

Batavia, Feb. 24.—The funeral of Shadrach Corbin, aged 87, father of Maj. Gen. Henry C. Corbin, occurred here Monday. The adjutant general of the army was present and the funeral was attended by many old residents. Shadrach Corbin was born in this county, April 4, 1816, of one of the pioneer families, lived here all his life and was known and respected by everybody in Clermont county. He is survived by three children.

## Will Admit Unionists.

Massillon, Feb. 24.—The local board of trade proposes to admit to membership a representative from each labor union in the city. The board has been criticised by local labor people for not hustling more for the good of the town. There are 30 labor organizations in the city, and when each has a representative on the board, they will have a majority.

## A Persistent Litigant.

Tiffin, Feb. 24.—Thomas Blair, aged 88, one of the oldest and richest men in Seneca county, is one of the most persistent litigants in the United States. He is now suing his son-in-law for \$17 damages for alleged damages to his lawn by the defendant's cattle. This is the fifth suit he has brought against his son-in-law during the past three years.

## An Expensive Blaze.

Zanesville, Feb. 21.—Fire of unknown origin at an early hour Friday morning threatened the destruction of an entire Main street business block. Schofield's clothing store was burned and Fritz's bicycle store and other business places were damaged. The total loss will amount to \$30,000.

## Death of J. S. Dickie.

Cleveland, Feb. 21.—Jones S. Dickie, vice president of the J. L. Hudson Co., died suddenly at 4:30 a. m. Friday, at his home, from apoplexy. The attack came without warning.

## A Daylight Holdup.

Cleveland, Feb. 25.—At 11 a. m. Tuesday, two well-dressed men entered the saloon of Frank Kwasnicka, at 81 Erie street. The proprietor was on duty. Walking up to the bar, the men whipped out revolvers. "Hands up," they yelled. Kwasnicka obeyed. One of the men went behind the bar and took \$21 from the saloonkeeper's pocket. The robber next opened the cash drawer and extracted \$150 and a revolver. Then the two men, still covering Kwasnicka with their guns, backed through the door, slammed it shut and ran down street.

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"My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Ointment had drawn the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated the boil and tumor. The soreness that had ex-

tended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.

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